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Good Afternoon Julianne,

Attached you will find a request from legislators for information as to what and why they need to change our penalty statute.

Don't hesitate to contact me if you have questions.

Thanks,

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Dear Ms. Socha,

I have been asked by State legislative members to request a list of the items required legislatively for the criminal penalties section of our statute. They wanted to see in writing, what was being required by USEPA prior to enacting the changes.

They would also like to know that this is the final statutory change that will be required and the potential time frame for the transfer of the CAFO NPDES permitting program to the Ohio Department of Agriculture.

Sincerely,

Kevin H. Elder, Chief



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